

13th Annual Small Business Round Table May 4, 2010 Agenda



7:30 a.m. – 8:00 a.m.	Registration Check-in & Refreshments

8:00 a.m. – 8:05 a.m. Opening Remarks & Introductions

Martin Ramirez, Manager

JPL Business Opportunities Office & Supplier Diversity Program

8:05 a.m. – 8:10 a.m. Welcoming Remarks

General Eugene Tattini, Deputy Director

JPL

8:10 a.m. – 8:15 a.m. JPL Acquisition Division Management

8:15 a.m. – 8:20 a.m. Erica Ramirez, Senior International Trade Specialist

U.S. Commercial Service- Department of Commerce

8:20 a.m. – 8:30 a.m. Small Business Testimonial/Q&A

This presentation will feature a successful small business

subcontractor. Topics to be covered will include effective marketing techniques, building on past performance and managing subcontract.

8:30 a.m. – 9:05 a.m. JPL Project Acquisition Management Panel/Q&A

This panel will discuss how JPL receives funding for missions,

project formulation, and an overview of JPL technical organizations.

9:05 a.m. - 9:40 a.m. JPL Procurement Panel/ Q& A

This panel will feature representatives from JPL Acquisition Division. The panel will discuss JPL's purchasing vehicles, top commodities and off-the shelf purchases, IT procurements, and navigating JPL's purchasing process.

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9:40 a.m. - 9:50 a.m. Break

9:50 a.m. - 10:25 a.m. Joint Counseling Panel

This panel will feature JPL small and large prime contractors. The discussion will address small and large business teaming and how to best market to a large business.

10:25 a.m. - 11:00 a.m. JPL Subcontracts 101/Q&A

This discussion will provide an overview of subcontract types, subcontract terms and conditions for commercial items and services, approved accounting system, and invoicing and billing.

11:00 a.m. – Noon Networking